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COBURN PLAYERS COME NEXT WEEK

"HAMLET," "THE RIVALS" AND
"RICHARD III" TO BE GIVEN.

NORMAL CAMPUS SCENE FOR EVENING PLAYS

Appearance of Famous Interpreters of
Classic Art Here Monday and Tues-
day Is Third Trip Here.

The Coburn players make their
third annual visit to Maryville Mon-
day and Tuesday of next week under
the auspices of the State Normal school.

They are acknowledged to be the
leading interpreters of classic drama
in America. This distinction has been
won by their sincere and steady aim
toward artistic success in every detail
of performance throughout a career
which has included appearances under
the auspices of almost every educa-
tional institution of importance in the
United States. Mr. and Mrs. Coburn
have made a special study of effects
in outdoor performance with regard to
setting, costumes and lighting. This
has resulted in the highest artistic
achievement possible in these re-
spects. Every scene is a delight of
shade and color, every costume true to
character and period.

The actors appearing with Mr. and
Mrs. Coburn have been selected on
account of their clearness of diction,
as well as for their acting ability.

They will present two Shakespearean
plays, giving Hamlet on Monday eve-
ning, June 16, and Richard III on
Tuesday evening, June 27. For the
matinee performance Tuesday after-
noon they will present Sheridan's fa-
mous production, "The Rivals."

It is planned that the evening per-
formances be given on the campus
area adjacent to the building and east
of the main entrance. A large stage
will be erected and adequate seating
provided. The matinee performance
will be given in the Normal school
auditorium, as will the evening per-
formances in case of rain or inclem-
ent weather, but arrangements are
now being made for the two evening
performances on the campus.

The Normal school goes to no little
expense to provide this opportunity
for its student body and for the citi-
zens of Maryville each summer. Each
performance should be greeted by a
capacity house. Season tickets for the
three performances are being placed
on sale at \$2.00 for the reserved sec-
tion of the first six rows, and \$1.50
for the reserved section of the re-
mainder. Single admissions in the
first six rows will be \$1.00 each, and
in the remainder 75c each.

TWO BIRTHS AT PICKERING.

Boy and Girl at Hollensbe and Reyn-
olds Homes.

A 7½-pound daughter was born to
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reynolds of Pick-
ering yesterday. The name of the lit-
tle miss is to be Lella Eldene.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hollensbe of
Pickering announce the birth of a 10-
pound boy, born this morning.

Freemasons.

You are requested to attend a spe-
cial communication of Maryville lodge
No. 165, A. F. and A. M., Wednesday,
June 21, at 8 p. m. First degree work.

J. T. BARKER COMING AGAIN

Candidate for Governor Announces
Speaking Dates for Nodaway
County.

John T. Barker, attorney general
and Democratic candidate for gover-
nor, will speak in Nodaway county on
Friday and Saturday, June 23 and 24.
He will speak at the following places:
Guilford, Friday, at 9 a. m.; Bar-
nard, Friday, at 10:30 a. m.; Clyde,
Friday, at 1 p. m.; Ravenwood, Fri-
day, at 2:30 p. m.; Parnell, Friday, at
4 p. m.; Hopkins, Friday, at 8 p. m.;
Clearmont, Saturday, at 9 a. m.; Elmo,
Saturday, at 10 a. m.

Everybody is invited to come and
hear this eloquent Missourian discuss
the issues of the day.

TO HEAR MR. HAKEL

CONSERVATORY PROGRAM REC-
ITAL AT NORMAL ANNOUNCED.

THURSDAY AT ASSEMBLY

Misses Rice, Garrett and Airy Other
Members of Faculty Who Will
Give Several Numbers.

The recital which the faculty of the
Maryville Conservatory of Music will
give Thursday morning at the Normal
assembly, is of particular interest to
Maryville because Fred Lewis Hakel,
the new teacher of violin, will play
two numbers. Mr. Hakel became a
member of the faculty yesterday.

Miss Jennie Garrett, Miss Lucille
Airy and Miss Berenice Rice, director,
will give the other numbers. The pro-
gram will start Thursday morning at
9 o'clock and all the Maryville public
is cordially invited by President Ira
Richardson of the Normal school. The
program follows:

Vocal solos, "The Star" (Rogers);
"Night and Dawn," violin obligato
(Platzmann)—Miss Garrett.
Piano solo, Polonaise Op. 53 (Chopin)—Miss Rice.

Violin solos, "Romanza from Violin
Concerto" (H. Wieniawski); Vari-
ations (Tartini-Kreisler)—Mr. Hakel.
Symphonic poem, "Les Preludes"
(Liszt)—Miss Airy. Miss Rice at sec-
ond piano.

RAINFALL TODAY 1.40 INCHES

Measurement at 1 o'clock With More
Coming—Inch Fell in Two Hours
This Morning.

It begins to look as if the fellow who
said that the last rain this year would
be on the thirty-first day of December
knew whereof he spoke. It seemed
that good weather had arrived in ear-
nest until early this morning. At
about 5 o'clock a downpour com-
menced which measured .95 of an inch
at 7 o'clock.

This had been increased by .45 more
when J. R. Brink took a measurement
at 1 o'clock, bringing the total to
1.40 inches. Weather forecasts and the
signs seem to show that the end is
not yet.

JAS. A. HOUCHEIN HERE TOMORROW

Candidate for Governor, Will Speak
at Courthouse and Over County.

James A. Houchin of Jefferson City,
a candidate for the Democratic nomi-
nation for governor, will speak at the
court house in Maryville tomorrow
evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Houchin is
also to speak in a number of the towns
over the county tomorrow.

SHOULD IT BE SHOWN BAND GETTING READY

ARGUMENT STARTED OVER "DAM-
AGED GOODS" FILM. SPECIAL CAR HERE AWAITS OR-
DER OF THE COLONEL.

IS LESSON PREDOMINANT TWENTY HERE WILL GO

Opponents Say No Good Can Come
From Exposition But Others
Disagree. Musicians Are Part of Hospital Corps
When Not in Action—Lieut. Mc-
Donald Comes Tonight.

Should "Damaged Goods" be shown
or not? That question bids fair in
Maryville just now to take rank with
such questions as whether Billy Sun-
day should preach in the language he
uses. The great sex-vice drama will
be shown Friday at the Empire Thea-
tre.

The question seems to hinge on
whether the film makes the lesson or
the mere showing of conditions para-
mount. Like the "Battle Cry of Peace,"
this remarkable photoplay does not
have everything end happily but closes
with a ruined life of the heroine while
the hero is contemplating suicide.

Those who oppose the showing of
the film say that no good is accom-
plished by showing crime and evil.
The less said or seen about such
things the better. It is asserted also
that the great majority of spectators
will go in the wrong spirit and will
be harmed rather than benefited.

The answer given by those who be-
lieve that the light should be turned
on is that such evils exist only be-
cause of ignorance or secrecy. It is
asserted by this side that a frank
open showing of one of the great mis-
deeds of the race cannot but lead to a bet-
tering of conditions.

In view of the fact that this is being
argued here, it will be of interest to
know what attitude has been taken
elsewhere.

Citizens Overruled Censorship.

Several weeks ago the powerful film
was exhibited to the board of censors
of San Francisco, who, after a heated
discussion, decided that it was not a
fit production for local audiences.

The film was also shown at a pri-
vate exhibition at the German house,
to an audience of more than 1,000 phis-
icians and professional men, who em-
phatically declared that it would be
a mistake to prohibit it, and urged
that it be given the widest publicity
possible.

In the meantime the Los Angeles
censors reached a conclusion similar
to that of the San Francisco board,
but the film was shown in spite of
them, and the board received such a
shake-up as will not soon be forgot-
ten.

The intimation that the film would
be shown in San Francisco regardless
of the findings of the board of censor-
ship had its effect.

The board finally agreed to recon-
sider its decision, and gracefully ac-
cided to popular demand by permit-
ting the exhibition of the film with its
approval, providing that the theatre
at which it would be shown would be
closed to children under 16 years of
age.

TEXT OF NOTE GIVEN OUT

UNITED STATES DEALS SHARPLY
WITH CARRANZA.

President Wilson Resents Tone of Car-
ranza Demands and Points Out
Outrages.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 20.—The Ameri-
can note flatly rejecting Carranza's
demand for withdrawal of the Ameri-
can troops from Mexico and rebuking
the de facto government for its dis-
courteous tone and temper in its last
communication was handed to the
Mexican ambassador designate, Arre-
dondo, today.

A review was made in the note of
the continued outrages against the
Americans and warning is given that
the troops will be kept in Mexico until
such time as the de facto government
performs the duty, which the United
States has not sought, of pursuing the
bandits who ought to be arrested and
punished by the Mexican government.

The chief points of the note are the
resentment at Carranza's discourteous
temper and because bandits have gone
unhindered and unpunished in at-
tacking Americans.

It recites scores of instances of
banditry and charges that the Car-
ranza regime has been indifferent to
the atrocities and has even encouraged
and aided some leaders of these.

It also charges that Carranza did not
take the proper steps to apprehend
Villa and others.

TO GO FROM MARYVILLE
T. B. Maulding, Bandmaster.
Harold Maulding, Chief Musician.
Ezra Phipps, Drum Major.
Frank Schumacher, Mess Serg.
Herman King, Sergeant.
Marion Minter, Sergeant.
Mel Atherton, Sergeant.
Claud Wilson, Cook.
Thomas McMillen, Cook.
L. B. Williams.
Bert Woodard.
Robert Bramble.
Earl Bricker.
Ereell Kinnaman.
William Grammar.
Wayne David.
Orville Vert.
Frank Spargur.
Telegram.

Bandmaster T. B. Maulding:
Bring all government property
in your possession except blue uni-
forms, arm racks, arm chests and
lockers. Wire progress of recruit-
ing and approximately time you
will be ready. Cars will be held
there until I order you to move.

John D. McNeely, Colonel,
Fourth Regiment, N. G. M.

The above telegram was received to-
day at 2 o'clock from the headquarters
of the Fourth Regiment in St. Joseph
and the armory of the Fourth Re-
giment Band, which is in the rear of the
"Macco" Print Shop was the scene of
great activity today as the men whose
names are given above prepared to en-
train for Nevada, Mo., to enter the
camp of the Missouri Militia.

Lieut. Malcolm McDonald of St.
Joseph, who is on the Colonel's staff,
will arrive tonight for the inspection
of the property and for completing the
arrangements. It is believed that the
men will get under way on the 4:44
Burlington tomorrow afternoon.

A special coach was set off here by
the noon train for the use of the sol-
diers. Most of the names in the un-
official list are enlisted members of the
band but many of the musicians in the
band refused to enlist in the regular
militia. A few of the men will prob-
ably be transferred into the regular
army.

The band is a part of the hospital
corps when not in service as musicians.
No company will be recruited here prob-
ably as the Fourth Regiment has its
full twelve companies, Company F be-
ing transferred from here to Edina,
Mo.

Ross S. Burris, son of the Rev. W. F.
Burris of Maryville, is a member of the
company of the Fourth regiment where
he formerly lived. He will probably
be ordered to join the company at St.
Joseph.

H. B. Cushman, who has been em-
ployed here by the Landon Music Com-
pany, left last night with J. E. Howery
to report to his company at Bethany.

LAHR FUNERAL TOMORROW

Father Odilo Will Sing Requiem High
Mass With Burial in St. Mary's
Cemetery.

The funeral of Matt Lahr, who died
at his home on East Thompson street
yesterday, will be held from the family
home at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.
The body will be taken to St. Mary's
church, where a requiem high mass
will be sung by the Rev. Father Odilo.
Following the blessing of the coffin,
the funeral will proceed to St. Mary's
cemetery, and services at the grave
will be held.

The pall bearers will be: Burt M.
Rowley, L. G. J. Ed. and Frank
Schumacher and Raymond and Peter
Lahr.

Yehle Back From St. Louis.

Conrad W. Yehle, president of the
Alderman-Yehle dry goods store, re-
turned this morning from a several
days' trip in St. Louis, on business. Mr.
Yehle also attended the Democratic
national convention in that city last
week.

Mary Fuller

THROWN TO THE LIONS, 5 Acts
5c & 10c. TONIGHT FERN. 5c & 10c.

TWO GOOD LOOKERS.



—Taylor in Los Angeles Times.

RUSS! VIGOR INCREASING BERT COOPER WRITES US

AUSTRIANS EFFORTS TO STEM
ADVANCE SEEM FEEBLE. COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTEND-
ENT IN CHICAGO U.

Powerful Poisonous Gas Said to Be
Cause of Slay Success—Other
War News.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Petrograd, June 20.—The Russian
attacks against the Germans and Aus-
trians in Volhynia and Galicia is grow-
ing in vigor and feeble efforts of the
Teutons to stem the advance were
quickly overwhelmed by the Russian
army that captured Czernowitz and
already advanced ten miles west of
that city. Another Russian force is
within striking distance of Kolomea,
fifty miles northwest of Czernowitz.

The most recent success of the Rus-
sians are attributed to the use of poi-
sonous gas, which is the most power-
ful known to warfare.

French Steamer Submerged.

Havre, June 20.—The French steam-
ship Saint Jacques, of 2,100 tons, was
sunk by a German submarine.

Peace Demonstrations in Vienna.

Geneva, June 20.—News received
here today say that fresh peace dem-
onstrations in Vienna on account of
the steady advance of the Russians in
Galicia caused deep repression in the
Austrian capital.

Verdun Assaults Unchecked.

Paris, June 20.—The Germans re-
newed their assaults against Hill 321
last night but all attacks were re-
pulsed, the war office announces. The
Germans have directed a new bomb-
ardment of a most violent character
against the French positions of Vaux
Wood, Chaptre Wood and Chatten-
court.

Plague in Constantinople.

Rome, June 20.—The Turkish city of
Smyrna was nearly destroyed by a
mutiny in the garrison and the shells
of the allied warships, according to
travelers reaching Italy. They also
report conditions critical in Constani-
nople, the plague having broken out.

Ira Tulloch Dies in California.

Ira ("Teck") Tulloch, formerly in
business here with Dick Strong, died
Saturday in Newport Beach, Cal. He
is a brother of Dick Tulloch of Mary-
ville.

The Rev. Father Berthold and Joe
Peter of Conception Junction were
Maryville visitors yesterday.

THE WEATHER

Probably showers and thunder
storms tonight and Wednesday; not
much change in temperature.

FUNSTON DESIRES BIG FORCE SOON

CHIEF REASON FOR HASTE IN
MOBILIZING MILITIA.

MEXICAN INTERNAL AFFAIRS CRITICAL

Americans in Mexico City in Danger—
Watching Pershing Position
With Anxiety.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

San Antonio, June 20.—General
Funston today asked the war depart-
ment for a "considerable force" of the
national guard to patrol the border
from Nogales, Ariz., to the Gulf of
Mexico.

This explains why urgent orders
have been sent to all militia heads of
the various states to complete the
mobilization with all speed. Funston
declined to state just how many troops
he asked for.

Pershing Defies Carranza.

El Paso, June 30.—General Pershing
in spite of Carranza's warning not to
make any moves, has detailed several
attacks to strike out from Namiquipa
in the pursuit of bandits.

The receipt of this news here was
followed by a wave of intense interest
as to what action will be taken by
General Trevino.

Border Crisis at Del Rio.

San Antonio, June 20.—A battalion
of the Third cavalry reached Del Rio
today from Eagle Pass to protect that
town from 1,500 Carranzistas and a
few Yaquis Indians who are reported
to be marching in that direction. The
situation is regarded as very grave.

Fitting Out More Ships.

Washington, June 20.—A call for
volunteers in the navy and the fitting
out of more vessels for the blockading
of the Mexican coast if it becomes
necessary, were decided upon today
at a conference of President Wilson,
Secretary Daniels and Senators Till-
man and Swanson.

Americans in Mexico City Fear.

Washington, June 20.—The Ameri-
cans remaining in Mexico City will be
in grave danger should a final break
come between this government and
Mexico. Consul-General Rogers tele-
graphed to the state department that
he could not get them through Vera
Cruz as planned.

General Sent Wife Back.

San Antonio, June 20.—So serious
has the menace of the Mexican situa-
tion become in the Laredo district that
Brigadier General Mann, who is in
command there, has sent his wife to
this city for safety. She arrived this
morning.

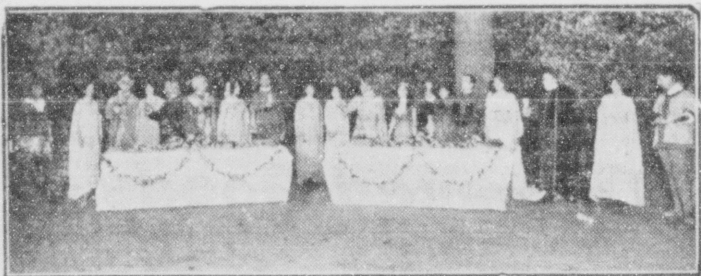
Tell of Americans Murdered.

Brownsville, June 20.—Passengers
arriving at Matamoros today reported
that all the Americans connected with
the Cerrillo mine in Neuvelon have
been murdered by the Mexicans. The
report could not be confirmed.

Orders Purchase of 63,000 Horses.

El Reno, Okla., June 20.—Orders
from the war department were re-
ceived today at Fort Reno's remount
station for the immediate purchase of
63,000 cavalry and artillery horses.

Two Scenes of the Coburn Players



FROM "THE TAMING OF THE SHREW."



FROM "THE MERCHANT OF VENICE."

Coburn Players Campus State Normal School

June 26-27

Two Evening Performances and One Matinee Performance

Watch This Space for Further Particulars

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. McKnight of King City for state senator from the first senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election to be held the first Tuesday in August, 1916.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Robert L. Young of St. Joseph for representative in congress from the fourth congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of James H. Hull of Platte City for representative in congress from the fourth congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

For Treasurer.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Tom Wallace for the Democratic nomination for treasurer, subject to the action of the Primary, August 1.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of James Blagg for the Democratic nomination for treasurer, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of E. C. Moberly for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary held August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John F. Dowden for the republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the action of the primary on August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Gabe Purcell for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of W. A. Burks for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

Announcement.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. R. Littell of Tarkio, Atchison county, Missouri, as a candidate for the office of state senator of the First Senatorial district of Missouri, subject to the action of the Democratic voters of said district at the primary election, to be held on the first day of August, 1916. Atchison county has not had a place on the Democratic senatorial ticket in this district since 1888.

Mr. Littell was recently unanimously endorsed for this position by the Democrats of Atchison county, in convention assembled, and is the chairman of the Atchison County Democratic Central Committee.

F. H. Haines and his daughter Irene of Eldorado, Kan., are the guests of Mr. Haines' brother, Harvey Haines.

Franklin Hotel
(Formerly County Seat.)

South side square. When looking for a neat, clean place with plenty to eat, stop at the Franklin, which has been disinfected and cleaned throughout. Reasonable prices.

Frank Nichols
PROPRIETOR

WHAT WILLARD EATS

PUGILISTIC CHAMPION MAKES IT
A SCIENCE.

HALF WE USE NOT FOOD

Just Because Appetite Seems Satisfied
Is No Indication We Are
Nourished.

Jess Willard, the world's champion heavy-weight prize fighter, makes eating a science, says Farm and Home. His profession requires him to keep his body in perfect condition, therefore his methods should be of value to others. In a statement to the public he said in part:

"A kitchen is the most important room in the house to me. You might say this is because I am a fighter, but it is just as important to anyone, for no matter what your job is, you can't do it unless you have health and strength. Good food isn't so much a matter of money, as of buying and cooking. I would like to bet that even the poorest family, if they studied food values, could live better than they do now, at half the cost."

Willard also puts special emphasis on the kinds and quantity of food, as well as on thorough mastication, "a la Fletcher." He says: "First of all I cut out pies and cakes, and all kinds of rich stuff, for even when they have food value, they are indigestible and put too much work on the stomach. My doctor told me: 'Half the stuff people eat isn't food at all. It just kills the appetite, and they think they are fed. I can give you three pies and you won't be hungry any more, but your body won't get any good out of them. An auto runs with gasoline, and it has a tank for that gas. You can put water in the tank and it will be full, but the machine won't run.'"

Jess Willard's diet is composed of oatmeal, eggs, beef, mutton, whole wheat bread at every meal, "toasted as hard as a brick," baked potatoes, spinach, cocoa or chocolate, rice pudding with raisins, or prunes and raisins cooked together; apple sauce, and baked apples with cream, and he adds: "Outside of meat the things that do me most good are greens, apple sauce, prunes and raisins, and whole wheat bread," and he also says that unless a man is doing heavy work that requires lots of strength, he can stick to these things and cut out the meat. Also "a man's size has a lot to do with the amount of food he needs. I stand six feet six inches and weigh 250 pounds. What keeps me in trim would make a little fellow hog fat, and I always get up from the table while I am still hungry."

C. E. EXPECT OVER 2,000

St. Joseph Convention July 6-9 May
Set Record—10,000 Letters of In-
vitation Sent Out.

Ten thousand personal letters, ten thousand post-cards and a like number of folders announcing the twenty-ninth annual convention of the Missouri Christian Endeavor Union, have been sent out from St. Joseph in the last few weeks to Christian Endeavorers all over the state.

The convention will be held in St. Joseph July 6 to 9, inclusive, and plans are being perfected whereby this will be made the biggest and best gathering of the kind ever held in the state. 2,000 delegates is the goal set by the convention committee, and from present indications that number or more will attend the convention. The names of practically all of the Christian Endeavorers in the state have been secured by the St. Joseph committee which has the arrangements for the convention in charge and direct personal appeals have been sent out in the form of letters to attend the convention. Gratifying responses have been received.

No society of Christian Endeavor in the state can afford not to send a delegate to St. Joseph, and no society will neglect to appreciate the invitation and help that comes through attendance at a state Christian Endeavor convention. Prominent religious workers will address the sessions and helpful department conferences will be conducted emphasizing every phase of Endeavor work.

E. M. Wallace, Room 13 Y. M. C. A., St. Joseph, will receive all applications for accommodations during the convention. Registration fee is \$1.00.

Mr. N. T. Drager, Fairfax, Here.
Mrs. N. T. Drager of Fairfax arrived in Maryville last night to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Martin Hartman, who has been seriously ill at her home on West Fourth street. Mrs. Hartman's condition is reported much improved.

Miss Eckles Returns From Quincy.
Miss Ora Eckles, who has been teaching in the Quincy, Ill., high school, arrived Saturday night to spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eckles.

HOSTESSES ROBBED
AS SHE FIXES HAIR

Young Girl Is Credited With New Way
of Gathering Jewels In New York.

Mount Vernon, N. Y.—A young woman who has a new method of robbery is being sought by the police of this city, New Rochelle, White Plains and Yonkers. She is a very pretty girl, about twenty years old and expensively attired.

Her method of obtaining jewels, hand bags, purses and anything else of value, which has been the same in all places, is explained by Mrs. Edgar R. Davis of 134 Eleventh avenue, Mount Vernon.

While the Davis family was at luncheon the girl called at their home and introduced herself as a friend of Fred Goodell, a cousin of Mrs. Davis, who lives in Bridgeport, and said that Goodell had sent her to Mrs. Davis to wait there until he called with an automobile and they would go for a ride.

She declined an invitation to partake of the luncheon, but asked if she could go to a bedroom to dress her hair. Mrs. Davis sent her to her own room and returned to her meal. Half an hour later it was discovered the girl had fled and that Mrs. Davis had lost \$250 in jewels from her bedroom.

In each place the girl represents that she is to wait for some relative of the family who is to call for her.

HORSE IS SOLE HEIR
TO \$42,707 LEGACY

No Other Pets Found to Enjoy
Comforts Ordered in New
York Woman's Will.

New York.—The appraisal of the estate of Mrs. Edith Rogers Gellatly, who died on July 17, 1913, at 84 West Fifty-seventh street, and who was the wife of John Gellatly, an insurance broker, shows that while she left the income from stocks valued at \$42,707 for the care of her horses and dogs, the only animal she owned at the time of her death was a horse at White Plains, appraised at \$700.

In making the bequest Mrs. Gellatly directed that upon the death of her pets the principal of the fund and the unused income should be used by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in finding homes for animals and in preventing cruelty.

Mrs. Gellatly, who was the daughter of Columbus Rogers, disposed of an individual estate of \$580,704 net, and a trust fund of \$702,201, set aside for her in her father's will. She gave \$1,166,271 to her husband and \$89,926 to her sister, Ella A. Rogers.

HELD UP BY BEAR.

Cub Refused to Move Until Auto Went
at Top Speed.

Ogdensburg, N. Y.—David Barber, a traveling salesman, was held up recently by a cub bear near Loon lake while driving from Malone to Saranac Lake. Barber thought the bear was a dog. The animal sat in the middle of the road and refused to move out of the path of the automobile.

Mr. Barber alighted from his car to see what was the matter with the animal. He approached close enough to see that it was a bear and then reversed his direction. He hastily jumped into his car and speeded up the engine, the noise of which so disturbed the bear that it ambled off into the bushes. "I wasn't afraid of the bear, but I didn't want any extended interviews with Mother Bear," said Barber.

MONEY MACHINE FAILS.

It Would Not Work After \$5,000 Had
Been Paid For It.

Peoria, Ill.—Isaac Deutsch and Myer Katz of West Frankfort, Ill., near here, are facing trial on a charge of operating a confidence game brought by Anton Sorchyeh of Depue, Ill., who claims Deutsch and Katz sold him a machine to make \$20 bills, he paying them \$5,000 for the outfit.

According to Sorchyeh, the machine was to be operated by placing a \$20 bill in an aperture and turning a crank. Scores of duplicate certificates came forth. Three thousand were "made" in two weeks. Armed with a shotgun, he is said to have guarded his machine for three days after the men left. He then discovered the device would not work without more bills and brought suit.

BEE STING WOMAN TO DEATH

Attacked While Taking Honey, She Is
Killed Before Aid Can Come.

Ravenna, O.—While trying to take honey from a beehive, Mrs. Elizabeth Kline of Rootstown was stung to death. She went to the hive without the customary protection of gloves and a veil and began lifting the boxes of honey from the hive.

The bees attacked her and before she could escape she was stung fatally on the face, neck and hands.

Cow Adopts Colt.

Greenville, Pa.—J. S. Brown, a farmer near Conneaut lake, says a short time ago a mare owned by him died after giving birth to a fine colt. The colt was fed on a bottle for a time, and when it was strong enough it was turned out with a herd of cows for exercise. One of the cows had lost a calf, and the animal immediately adopted the colt. Bossy and the colt are now inseparable.

WIN CHOPPER PRIZE

MAORIS OF NEW ZEALAND BEST
IN BRITISH ARMY.

ALL ARE NEAR GIANTS

Canadians and Australians in Great
Contest With Them for Wood-
man Honors.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Near the British Front in France, June 20.—The Maoris of New Zealand are the champion tree choppers of the nationalities in the British army. They won their title in a great match against the Canadians and Australians.

It is said of the Maoris that many of them are too large to be accepted in the army. Almost all are giants. For some time there had been rivalry on the subject of axemanship, so General Birdwood decided to have the question settled in open contest.

There was a goodly company of men in the forest, where they had followed the sign posts through the glades to the rendezvous in the heart of it. The sun that filtered through the beech leaves and shot golden arrows between the tall, straight trunks, glowed on the bronzed faces of men who have come into this twilight of the old French woods from the glare of the Egyptian desert and the rocks of Gallipoli.

Under their slouch hats those clean-cut, clean-shaven boys of Australia and New Zealand look at home in the forest, of a kinship with the trees, and out of the thick undergrowth so rich and green in the fresh splendor of this May came browner and darker men, gypsy-eyed fellows, who are the very children for forest life. With axes over their shoulders, came the Maori wood cutters, keen for victory.

There was an Anzac band among the trees, playing ragtime, and to this music the first axe was set to work, at a signal from the judges, who were mostly brigadiers. A number of trees had been marked out, and their girth had been measured nicely. Three men of one team competed with three men of another, and each team had three trees to fell, the aggregate time being reckoned for the award. Australians and New Zealanders competed with Canadians in each class of event.

The Canadians were fine men, and they handled their axes with a cool craft, which was fine to watch, with clean, leisurely cuts that hit out great chunks waist high in the stout tree trunks. But the Australians were faster. Astonishingly fast. Their service axes rose and fell with sharp stabbing blows that sliced through the trees so that the fillets fell like snow flakes. A great shout went up when the first tree was cut in two by one of those Australians.

But it was New Zealand which carried off the first prize for felling, and the Maori won it easily. Their axemanship was beautiful to see, its swiftness and strength. There was a song of strength in the bodies of these brown men, swinging with a perfect harmony of physical energy to the long sweeping strokes of the axe. Their arms were bare to the shoulders of their cotton vests, and their muscles flowed up and down in sinuous waves.

The aggregate time in which they felled their three trees was 22 minutes 40 seconds, which was better by 23 minutes than the Canadians, whose aggregate time was 45 minutes 22 seconds. This difference is greater than it might have been because the Canadians did not produce their best team in time for the competition. It was the Canadians, however, who won the crosscut sawing.

Miss Wachtel Sprains Ankle.

Miss Edith Wachtel of Savannah, who stays with her aunt, Mrs. John Airy, and attends Normal school, stumbled on the porch yesterday and fell, spraining her ankle. She will not be able to walk for at least a week.

Frank Garrett Returns Home.

Frank Garrett returned Sunday from Pueblo, Colo., where he spent several weeks visiting friends. Mrs. Garrett and their son, who were in Colorado with him, will remain there for some time.

M. E. Tower Being Repaired.

Scaffolding has been placed around the tower of the First M. E. church and the damage done by the recent bolt of lightning is being repaired.

Miss Lorene Alden, who has been here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. S. C. Alden, left yesterday morning for St. Joseph to visit her aunt, Mrs. D. V. Alderman.

Miss Alice Sweet, a student in the Normal school, left for her home in St. Joseph Sunday and will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

J. Tennyson and his two daughters went to St. Joseph yesterday morning.



HON. CHARLES F. SCOTT.

LONG time member of congress from the First district of Kansas, Hon. Charles F. Scott, takes rank with the big men of the country. He was a keen blade in congress and made his influence felt in many phases of national legislation. He was selected as the man to personally deliver to the suffering Belgians the first shipment of relief provisions sent over from the United States. His address at the Chautauqua will be "The Truth About Mexico."

A CHILD'S INTELLIGENCE

HOW MUCH SHOULD INFANTS
KNOW AT CERTAIN AGES?

Magazine Gives Tests by Which It Can
Be Known Whether Baby Is
Normal.

What degree of intelligence should a normal child exhibit at different stages of development? A ten-months-old baby should extend his hands for his bottle when it is brought near him. He should respond to his mother's greeting when she smiles into his face, or gurgles or coos to arouse his expressions.

If he is hungry, and his bottle is brought, and he makes no effort to grasp it; or if he does not respond to his mother's expressions, then he is not advancing as rapidly as he should. In other words, he is not making the associations which are normal for a child of this age. He ought by this time to have learned a few familiar objects so that he will not act in the same way toward all of them.

Suppose, for instance, you should have in your right hand a piece of wood, and in your left hand his bottle. If he is hungry, he ought to grasp for his bottle instead of the wood. If he does grasp for the latter, and attempts to satisfy his hunger with it, he is retarded in his mental development.

One can make a number of tests like this on a ten- or twelve-months-old child. If he responds in the same way to a book held before his eyes that he does to his mother's face, he is not de-

veloping normally. If his range of adaptation does not increase at any time then his development is stopped. If he falls downstairs when he is a year old, and if he does the same when he is two years old and three years old, he is not developing properly.

If an eighteen-months-old child touches a stove and is burned five times, and proceeds to touch it the sixth time, he is not developing as he should. His brain is not establishing connections among his experiences. At eighteen months associations of the type mentioned are established very quickly in the normal child's brain.—M. V. O'Shea in the July Mother's Magazine.

MAYR'S WONDERFUL REMEDY
FOR STOMACH TROUBLE

ONE DOSE WILL CONVINCE
Gall Stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Appendicitis and other fatal ailments result from Stomach Trouble. Thousands of Stomach Sufferers owe their complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Unlike any other for Stomach Ailments, For sale by Pearson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.

No Ministers' Meeting Held.

No meeting of the Ministerial Alliance to consider the matter of building the Scoville tabernacle at once was held this morning. It is not known just when the matter will be decided.

Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean and children and Miss Mary Condon motored to Mound City yesterday to visit relatives.

CHILD LAWS PREPARED

COMMISSION APPOINTED BY GOV.
ERNOR MAJOR.

Exhaustive Text on Education, Social,
Health and Other Conditions
of Youth.

The Children's Code Commission, appointed by Gov. Major in 1915, is planning to submit to the next general assembly a complete revision of the Missouri laws relating to children. The reports of the various sub-committees deal with laws relating to defective children, delinquents, child labor, education, health and recreation, and social conditions. The drafting of the proposed laws will largely be done at the University of Missouri. Honorable Rhodes E. Cave of St. Louis is chairman of the commission, and Professor Manley O. Hudson of the school of law of the University of Missouri at Columbia, is secretary.

Professor Hudson is chairman of the committee on public laws of the commission, and in making his report he recommends that laws recognizing illegitimacy of children be abolished; that illegitimate children be given the same right of inheritance and transmission as are given to legitimate children; that parents, likewise, be permitted to inherit from illegitimate children, and that the natural parents be made liable for the support of the illegitimate child. It has been further recommended that the adoption of a child be made a court proceeding, but that no child over 12 years old should be adopted without its consent.

The other committees of the commission are likewise working on wise recommendations to assist the general assembly in bringing about the needed changes in our present laws regarding children. Missouri is following the lead of Ohio in this movement, which is fast becoming general throughout the country.

M. U. MILITARY HONORED

ONE OF THE FIRST TEN SCHOOLS
AMONG UNIVERSITIES.

By Winning Coveted Distinction De-
partment Will Get New Spring-
field Rifles.

It has been announced by the United States War Department that the military school of the University of Missouri at Columbia is again one of the "ten distinguished institutions" of the country. This is the third time that Missouri has received this distinction. The other two times were in 1914 and 1915.

The military department for the past year has been under the direction of Lieut. McH. Eby and Cadet Colonel H. R. Gibson. Lieutenant Eby was called into active service in February and Cadet Colonel Gibson assumed supervision of the department.

The distinction the school has obtained entitles the university to name a second lieutenant in the United States army. President Hill will recommend A. Worrel Roffe of Blue Springs, Mo., who was graduated from the school of law this spring, for this post. Mr. Roffe was major of the first battalion and acted as colonel when Mr. Gibson assumed the duties of commandant during the past year.

For winning a "distinguished" place three consecutive times the department will be permitted to turn in the old rifles and receive the new model Springfield army rifles.

W. T. Jackson and his daughter Pearl of near Parnell were business visitors in Maryville yesterday.

EMPIRE THEATRE
Friday, June 23

"FOR THE SIN WHICH YE DO BY TWO AND TWO,
YE MUST ANSWER FOR ONE BY ONE"

The awful results of moral impurity vividly pictured in

Damaged Goods

Graphic portrayal of the physical ruin that follows in the wake of those who tread in the flowery path of worldly pleasures.

Sheds a great awakening light on the human race.

A triumph of Motion Picture realism—in seven powerful acts.

Presenting RICHARD BENNETT, star of the original production, and his original Broadway Stars—Admission 25 cents.



Richard Bennett in "Damaged Goods"

A mutual Special Feature in Seven Parts. Made by American.

From 9 o'clock in the morning until midnight—To accomodate everyone. Children under 14 positively barred unless accompanied by parents.

GUNS WIN BATTLES

INVENTOR OF 42-CENTIMETER TELLS OF THEIR WORK.

SHOOT ACROSS CHANNEL

Dr. Rausenberger Talks Interestingly of Munitions Problems of the Combatants.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, June 20.—"Our successes in the present war are principally due to the superiority of our heavy artillery," said Professor Dr. Rausenberger, the inventor of the giant forty-two centimeter gun, on his recent visit to Sofia in an interview granted to a correspondent.

The light flat fire field guns have been relegated to the background and will eventually disappear entirely," the German school master who has become famous as the constructor of the most terrible modern war machine, continued.

"The field guns are of little use in trench warfare and will have to be replaced by steep fire ordnance. Trenches, shelters and field fortifications of troops in ninety cases out of every hundred can only be reached by shells fired at a high angle. Only in rare instances it is possible to bombard them effectively with ordinary field pieces."

Asked whether it would be possible to improve the means of defense so as to render even the fire of the heaviest attacking guns ineffective the inventor said:

"The artillery is capable of unlimited development. It is impossible to dig the trenches and shelters deeper, because this would hinder the rapid retreat of the troops in them, if they should be attacked suddenly by numerically superior forces. Even the deepest trenches and armored shelters afford no protection against the shells of our high angle guns and we can reach the enemy with our fire from distances which were not dreamed of before our 'Big Berthas' came into existence.

"We are able to fire across the English Channel and to throw shells three or four miles into England, but the limit is not nearly reached. Without any great difficulty we will be able to construct guns with a much larger range. England is no longer invulnerable and she knows it."

In regard to his own invention the professor said:

"The General Staff long ago asked the Krupps to construct a monster gun of certain specified capabilities. The experiments were begun more than ten years ago and we finally solved the problem, but the matter of transportation of the enormous howitzers still bothered us. Only shortly before the outbreak of the war did we succeed in improving the mobility of the great guns. 'Big Berthas' which could be transported and placed into position without especially constructed field railroads were used for the first time in the bombardment of Liege."

From his guns the inventor switched to a discussion of fortresses.

"I do not believe that fortresses like Liege and Antwerp will be rebuilt," he said. "The different countries will of course keep their frontiers fortified, but fortresses with girdles of forts have been made useless by modern artillery. The fortifications of the future will be of an entirely different character."

Finally the professor took up the munitions question.

"The hope of our enemies that we will ever run short of ammunition is futile," he said. "We are able to produce any required quantity of shells and they will always be superior to those of the Allies."

"At the beginning of the war we were not so well prepared. We had to construct an enormous amount of machinery and build many factories before we could fully supply the demands of our army. During the early stages of the war we were compelled to cast most of our shells, but now they are all made of pressed steel and their quality is unsurpassable."

"The British with the rich resources at their disposal have been very successful in the production of munitions. The production of Russia is also far larger and better than the general public knows. The industrial strength of the Russians must not be underestimated."

"I know the Putloff Works and its capability. With the aid of England, Japan and the United States, Russia will manage to get enough ammunition for her armies."

"The quality of the American munitions was very poor at first, but it is becoming much better lately. The United States will undoubtedly more than double the production of shells during the next six months, but we can await the further developments of the war without anxiety, because we will always outclass our enemies in the production of ammunition, as we do in artillery."

A Picture Of Peace

By F. A. MITCHEL

Needing a model for a painting of a female figure I intended to call "Peace." I hunted everywhere for one. I could find plenty of women with suitable figures, but figure expresses nothing that I wanted except symmetry. I painted my picture in my studio, using a model for the figure whom I have often employed, leaving a blank space for the face, intending if ever I found one suitable to my purpose I would introduce it. But time flew by, and I feared the great European war, which rendered my subject timely, would come to an end before I could find a model.

One day while looking out of a rear window of my house I noticed sitting at a window opposite mine a girl whose lineaments were exactly what I wanted. She was sewing, and since the window in which she sat was at an angle with mine I got a three-quarters view of her face. This was the position of my figure of "Peace" in my picture.

I noticed that the girl occupied the same position nearly every morning from about 10 o'clock till noon. It occurred to me to bring my canvas and my implements to my room and use the girl for a model. She would be unconscious that she was being used for the purpose, and this would be a great advantage. So I transferred my materials from my studio to my chamber, and, closing the blinds so that my model would not see me copying her, I set to work. Fortunately I seldom missed getting a sitting each morning.

My picture was a great success. How much its being displayed when the European war was in progress had to do with the public's appreciation of it I don't know. Naturally the war created an interest in it. I spent much time in the gallery where it was hung, watching those who looked on it, and noticed that the expressions of all who viewed it were for the time being softened.

But one who listens to criticisms of his work will surely hear some fault-finding. During these eavesdroppings I heard one adverse comment. Two ladies were viewing it when one said:

"She's a spitfire."

"Good gracious!" exclaimed the other. "What do you mean? She is the impersonation of amiability. How could you have got such an impression?"

"I don't know, but I've got it all the same."

They passed on, leaving me wondering how one person of the many hundreds who looked at the picture should have divined such a different interpretation of it from the rest. Surely the judgment of the many was of far more value than the one. Nevertheless the criticism troubled me. Might not others have got the same impression from my "Peace," but left it unexpressed?

However, my picture did much to introduce me as an artist, and my conscience had often pricked me for sponging the services of a model. I meditated sending an anonymous note, inclosing a check, to the young woman. I finally concluded that so refined looking a person would need some preparation for the reception of such payment. I therefore wrote a note telling how I had conceived the painting of a picture of peace, how I had found a model in her and how I had produced a successful work, which I could not have produced without taking advantage of her presence at a window opposite mine. I deemed it proper that she should derive some benefit from my success and humbly asked permission to send her a check.

I had written this note in my room while my model of "Peace" had been sitting in her accustomed seat in her window and was taking up my hat to go out and around the block to leave it at her door, for I did not know her name, when I saw approaching from the rear of the room in which she sat the figure of another girl about her own age. Then I heard the one who had newly entered say:

"Maria, what did you mean last night by taking Johnny Doyle away from me?"

"What did you mean by taking Billy Dunker away from me?"

"I didn't!"

"You did!"

The voices were both shrill, but that of my model was the shriller. I did not attempt to give the anathemas hurled upon each other by the two girls in the space of a few moments. They soon began to claw each other, and my peace model caught her enemy by the hair and was yanking her around in circles when, horror stricken, I covered my face with my hands that I might see no more of the fracas and ran out of the room, closing the door behind me to shut out the shrill sounds.

Since that day I see my picture of peace through different eyes than before. Instead of being a Madonna she is a virgin. On that account I seldom look at her. As to the model, the morning after my disillusion she appeared again at her window, her Madonna-like face covered with scratches. I met her in the street one day, and I was surprised at a difference there was in it from that which had appeared while she sat in the window. What caused this difference? I don't know. It may have been that the light of the room was softer than that of the street. But why had the single critic I have mentioned caught the real expression? I give it up.

The check I drew to send my model I gave to a fund for mutilated soldiers of the great war.

SPELLING IS EASY.

New York Official Disperses Idea Words Cannot Be Mastered.

URGES ORTHOGRAPHY STUDY.

Assistant Education Commissioner Says Three Months of Real Work Are All That Is Needed to Make Any Person of Ordinary Intelligence a Fairly Good Speller.

Albany, N. Y.—"Can we learn to spell?" the state department of education asks, and an essay on the subject by Charles F. Wheelock, assistant commissioner of education, is issued by the department showing that spelling may be easily learned. The state is to have a big spelling bee Sept. 12 on the state fair grounds at Syracuse.

"In almost every community there is found a considerable number of persons who are poor spellers and who are thoroughly convinced it is impossible for them ever to learn to spell," Mr. Wheelock says.

"The fact is that, while there may be now and then a person who cannot spell because of some mental defect, in the great majority of such cases persons holding the belief that they can never learn to spell are mistaken regarding their own powers. As in every other field of endeavor, the one who starts out feeling to a certainty that he is going to fail is in a fair way to have his expectations realized."

"It seems to the writer that it is time for some one to come to the defense of the poor old English language which, while it is not perfect by any means, is still not so perfectly awful and terrifying as many writers would have us believe. It is possible to paint a fearful picture by simply referring to the words supersede, exceed, etc."

"How is it possible ever to master the spelling of a language where such things are printed? When, however, we become aware of the fact that it is necessary to learn as individuals only four of these seed words, namely, supersede, exceed, proceed, succeed, and that all the others end in cede, the whole group is mastered without serious difficulty."

"Another group that is often referred to as being beyond the capacity of the ordinary intellect is that containing le or el, but the backbone of the difficulty in this group is easily broken by the old rhyme (or rime if you prefer):

Write i before E except after C,
Or when sounded as A.

As in neighbor and weigh.

"The boy or girl who will thoroughly master this rhyme and who will learn as an individual the words that seem to have neither rhyme nor reason—either, seize, counterfeit, forfeit, surfeit, sleight, veil, leisure, height, heifer—will have no further trouble with the combination le or el. Certainly it does not require massive intellect or extraordinary effort to master this group, which is so often used as an insuperable difficulty of English spelling."

"A large proportion of the errors of the ordinary high school pupil is made up of failure to drop the final e, of failure to double the final consonant in derivatives, and of failure to note that the adjective termination is ful not full, all of which are matters that require for their mastery no special gift of intellect, but are easily within the reach of the ordinary fourteen-year-old pupil."

"The reason for the spelling of refer, referring, reference, once thoroughly understood, will make it impossible to misspell these words thereafter. It requires only ordinary intelligence to appreciate the difference between hoping and hopping. The student who has been fortunate enough to have been well taught in Latin will find real delight in accounting for the difference between such words as emigrant and immigrant, in explaining why there are only one s and two c's in desiccate, in the reason for the double letters in biennial, centennial, Mediterranean, innocent, innocuous and in accounting for special features of hundreds of other words. It is possible for a spelling lesson treated in this way to become almost as interesting as a story by Sherlock Holmes. The detective instinct finds here abundant opportunity for exercise."

"Of course it must be understood that after all the classification of words and the disposal of difficulties by groups there will still remain till and until, separate, syzygy, phthisis, catarrh, hemorrhage and many other like disagreeable complaints, which fortunately are for the most part infrequent and are to be dealt with only when necessary. A list of 200 or 300 of these terms would include all that one would need to consider, and certainly it is not beyond the capacity of the fourteen-year-old pupil to master 200 or 300 hard words. Five words a day would make 100 words a month, so two or three months at this rate would clear them all up."

"If you have acquired the notion that the difficulties of spelling are insuperable get the notion out of your head at once. If you have been led to believe that you lack the particular brain cells in which are stored the proper arrangement of letters in words get rid of that notion too. You should enter at once on the job of convincing yourself that you can do it, and remember always that there is no royal road to knowledge. Persistent hard work is the only sure way to success in any field, and about three months of real work are all that is needed to make any person of ordinary intelligence a fairly good speller of English."

Miss Pearl Cole, a student in the Normal school, was called to her home in Coffee Sunday by the death of her aunt.

Charles Zarn and son of Burlington Junction was a visitor in Maryville today.

DRIVE ON HESSIAN FLY

GIGANTIC PREPARATIONS IN THE STATE NOW.

July, August and September Are Vulnerable Months of Destructive Insect.

"The most gigantic drive that has ever been delivered against the Hessian fly is now being prepared by Missouri farmers in every wheat growing county of the state," says T. J. Talbert, assistant professor of horticulture at the University of Missouri at Columbia. According to Mr. Talbert, the fly is now entrenched in the flax seed and maggot stage between the leaf sheath and stalk at the bottom of the wheat plant. The enemy will remain in this position until fall, thus providing the farmer an opportunity to deal him an effective blow at his weakest point.

During the months of July, August and September the trenches of the Hessian fly can easily be taken without artillery preparation. As soon as practical after harvest, the farmer will advance in the open to the first line trenches in the wheat stubble fields, and by the use of the disc, harrow and drag he will bury the enemy deeply beneath the soil.

In order to make the destruction of the enemy complete, his food supply must be cut off. This can be done by discing and harrowing the plowed ground to keep down volunteer wheat.

The fly will make his general attack upon the fall wheat during September and October, after which he will take his encampment for the winter at the base of the wheat plants. As the life of the fly is only four or five days in the adult stage, during which time the eggs are deposited on the wheat leaves, it is advisable to sow the wheat late enough to escape the egg laying of the main fall brood of flies.

The fly free dates for Missouri are about as follows: For northern third of state, Oct. 1; central third, Oct. 8; southern third, Oct. 16. If the fly is allowed to trench himself in early wheat and volunteer wheat in the summer and fall, he may emerge the following spring in numbers sufficient to do great harm to wheat that was sown on the fly free date. To make a successful fight against the enemy, co-operation is necessary and cannot be too strongly emphasized.

KANSAS CITY MARKET LETTER.

Kansas City Stock Yards, June 20, 1916.—Arrivals of cattle today were much larger than expected and the market had a decidedly weaker tendency except for strictly dry lot steers, and few in that class were offered. The day's trade added nothing new in the general tendency in the market as the price movement is increasing the spread of quotations, by maintaining high record levels for the dry lot steers, and the half fat, especially those cattle that have made weight gains on grass, are lower. The extremes in the market today were steady to 15 cents lower, mostly 10 cents off.

The fat steers here today came from a wide area, Texas sending in liberal supplies from below the quarantine line. A trainload of steers came from Arizona. Oklahoma, Colorado and Nebraska were fairly well represented and Kansas had a good many wintered, grass fat steers here today. The range in prices was \$6.50 to \$10.75, mostly \$8.25 to \$10.25. The lowest priced steers were on the quarantine side. Cows and heifers were in limited supply and mostly steady in price. Demand for stockers and feeders was active, and prices for stockers was stronger. Receipts were limited.

Most of the good stockers sold at \$7.50 to \$8, and feeders up to \$8.50. Hog prices were down 5 to 10 cents and about 20 cents under the high point last week at the opening today, but at close of market prices ruled steady to strong with active demand. The top price was \$9.70, and the bulk of sales ranged from \$9.40 to \$9.65. Lambs were quoted 10 to 15 cents lower, and sheep were steady. Most of the offerings were spring lambs that brought \$10 to \$10.75, top Arizona lambs \$11. Slipped Texas sheep brought \$6.75 to \$7, and breeding ewes sold up to \$8.00.

How often have you said or heard it said, "I wish I had a picture of that." Perhaps it's the children, maybe pets, stock or growing fields. I have made it possible for you to get pictures of this kind. I have kodaks — you are welcome to use them — they cost you nothing. If you have a kodak come to the Bee Hive store for your films. I buy them in quantities, and give you the benefit of the wholesale price I get on them. In any event you will find my kodak information service useful — Use it. I am a specialist.

Adv. J. E. Carpenter.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42, Farmers phone 114

W. C. T. U. Meets.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Main street Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

I. X. L. With Mrs. Rathbun.

The I. X. L. Embroidery club will meet at the home of Mrs. Eugene Rathbun on North Main street tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Grem's Hostess.

Miss Kittle Grem will be hostess to the members of the Wednesday Afternoon Auction Bridge club at her home on East First street tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Allender Hostess.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender will have as dinner guests at their home on South Fillmore street this evening, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Holbrook and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Denham.

Guests at West Lawn Farm.

Guests for Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Honnold, Bellows, West Lawn Farm, were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. George P. Bellows, Mrs. M. J. Honnold, Dr. Fred C. Honnold of Chicago, and A. B. McLaren of Marian, Ill.

Picnic Postponed.

The Queen Esther Circle picnic, which was to have taken place tomorrow night, has been postponed indefinitely. The meeting of the Queen Esther Circle will be held at the home of Miss Mabel Currutt, on West Second street, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Dinner Guests at Bovards.

Miss Louise Sallender of Fort Madison, Ia., and Miss Caroline Watkins of Lawson, Mo., were the guests of honor at a dinner given Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kurby Bovard, whom they are visiting. The other guests were: Mrs. Ralph Eversole and son Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker.

Week-End Guests.

Miss Rascos, Barnard, Hostess. Cleeta Rascos, who is attending Normal school here, had as her week-end guests at her home in Barnard Misses Margaret Wenger and Marie and Blanche Landfather. She entertained at Sunday dinner in their honor, having as additional guests Misses Marie McDermitt of Wilcox and Myrtle Rhyme of Barnard.

For Miss Craig's Guests.

Mrs. O. L. Holmes will entertain tonight at a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of Miss Laura Craig and her house guests. Covers will be laid for Misses Laura Craig, Gladys Grigg, Lavonne Hanna, Lucille Mae and Lucile Roberts, Lucile Holmes, Helen Burris, Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Lieber Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Hosick Holmes, and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes.

Surprise Party for Miss Swinford.

The employees of the Eversole store gave a surprise party last night to Miss Irene Swinford at her home on South Main street in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing cards, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. Alpha Bishop, Mrs. Anna Miller, Mrs. Maggie Dougan and daughter, Mamie, Mrs. H. J. Parrish and daughter, Mamie, Mrs. Alice Lake, Misses Charity Wiseman, Frances Halliwell, Anna Bartram, Pauline Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford and J. H. Wise.

Birthday Dinner

A number of the friends of Mrs. and Mrs. Alex Swaney of Hopkins spent Sunday at their home in honor of the twenty-sixth birthday anniversary of Mr. Swaney. The day was spent in visiting. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sisters, Mrs. John Loch and Mrs. A. W. Smith. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Heady of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swaney, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Swaney, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swaney, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Loch, Mrs. Mollie McKee; Roy, Lois, Fern, Claude and Raymond McKee, Edna Ester, Roy, Marguerite, Everett, Ono, Opal and Ena Swaney, Lucile Strong, Charlene Wiley, Albert and George Wesley Smith, Pauline Loch, Ellis Heady, Herbert and Lester Swaney, and Mabel, Lula and Ray Bennett.

Mission Circle Notes.

Mrs. Hudson, Hostess. The regular monthly meeting of the Mission Circle of the Christian church was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Hudson, on North Mulberry street. Election of officers was held, with this result: President, Mrs. Arch Frank; first vice president, Mrs. Ellis Cook; second vice president, Mrs. Newt Hagins; secretary, Mrs. Ed Egley; treasurer, Mrs. L. G.

Crossan; pianists, Mrs. C. A. Bone and Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, and musical director, Mrs. Fred Robinson.

The Circle quartet, consisting of Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. Harry Todd, Mrs. Fred Robinson and Mrs. C. A. Bone, gave a selection, and Miss Bertha Anderson sang a solo. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lee Crossan and Mrs. Carl Wiles.

Dinner Party at Wallis Home.

Dr. and Mrs. William Wallis Jr. entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club and some of their friends at dinner at their home on West First street last night.

The decorations at the center dining table were pink peonies and silver candlesticks with pink shades. At the other tables crimson ramblers with crimson candle shades were used.

A five-course dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donlin of Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Will Phares, Misses Clara Sturm, May Orear and Della and Kittle Grem, Paul Sisson and P. O. London.

After the dinner auction bridge was played, the prize winners being Mr. and Mrs. Donlin, Miss Orear and Will Montgomery.

Domino Party

For Visitors at Craig Home.

Mrs. Gallatin Craig and Miss Laura Craig gave a domino party last night in honor of their guests, Misses Gladys Grigg of Sparta, Ill., Lavonne Hanna of Clay Center, Kan., Misses Lottie Mae and Lucile Roberts of Higgins, Tex., and of Misses Mary and Margaret Foster, who are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Garrett. About seventy-five guests were present.

The Craig home was decorated with roses, sweet peas, nasturtiums and syringas, and the refreshments were carried out in a color scheme of yellow and white, the colors of Lindenwood college, where Miss Craig and her guests went to school.

Little Miss Lois Gilbert received the guests at the door. In the receiving line were: Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Miss Grigg, Miss Lottie Mae Roberts, Miss Craig, Miss Hanna, Miss Lucile Roberts, Miss Mary Foster and Miss Margaret Foster.

The hostesses were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Lieber Holmes and Misses Jennie Garrett and Marguerite Cummins. The out-of-town guests were: Miss Louise Sallender of Fort Madison, Ia., who is the guest of Mrs. Oliver Kurby Bovard; Miss Thelma Lumsden of Leadville, Colo., the guest of Miss Martha Koch, and Miss Margaret Chilton of St. Joseph, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Robinson.

Prizes were won by Miss Lavonne Hanna and Aubrey Lyle.

"Haines Bunch" Picnics.

The "Haines Bunch" spent Sunday afternoon at Horseshoe Lake, northeast of town. They went in automobiles, and spent the afternoon fishing.

roasting beefsteak and "tramping" about the country.

Nusbaums Attend Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Nusbaum attended the wedding of Miss Celestine Schloss Silberman and Milton Henry Loeb, which was solemnized at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Hotel Robidoux, St. Joseph.

Temperance Lecture Tonight.

J. M. Glass of Pasadena, Cal., who is spending several months in Missouri in the interest of prohibition, will speak at the Presbyterian church tonight. He is well known here, having lectured three years ago on the same subject.

Attention G. A. R.

All members of Sedgwick post are requested to meet at the post room at 8:30 sharp Wednesday morning for the purpose of attending the funeral and burial services of our late comrade, Matt Lehr. J. D. DICKERSON, S. V. Commander.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and for the beautiful floral offerings in our hour of bereavement in the death of our dear wife and mother. E. T. Funk and Children. 26

Basket Dinner at Gaynor.

The Gaynor Christian church will have a basket dinner next Sunday. The Rev. W. H. Rust will preach at 11 o'clock and the Rev. Mr. Robb of Hopkins will give a sermon at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Ewing C. Bland Here Today.

Ewing C. Bland, candidate for the Democratic nomination for judge of the Kansas City court of appeals, was in the city today in the interest of his candidacy.

To Attend Lahr Funeral.

The W. R. C. is requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Matt Lahr at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, to attend the funeral of Mr. Lahr at 9 o'clock from St. Marys church.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Dr. W. W. Turner
OSTEOPATH
Office Over Fern Theatre
HANAMO 503

Grand Father
Never Knew

But what he could see just as well as most other people—he had no one to go to to find out. Had he lived in this day and age we could have helped him enjoy his declining years in comfort. We can help you.

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Hammocks at right pricee, harmonious colorings and service giving qualities. An inspection of our line will please the most critical.

D. E. HOTCHKIN, 111 West Third Street
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Pastel Artist

at Crane's to remain
a Few Days Longer

To execute a few Special orders given Saturday night. MR. F. P. FRISCH the artist is obliged to prolong his stay with us. Prospective buyers will do well to make their selections early and secure one or more of the bright and artistic sketches which make a lasting and "worth hanging" ornament for any home.

The public please take notice that this will perhaps be the last visit Mr. Frisch will make to Maryville.

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Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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A Bank for Savings

Maryville, Mo.

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY

In order to make cash settlements with the heirs of the late N. F. Taylor, deceased, the properties located at No. 518 and 522 South Main street must be sold. These places are located in a very desirable neighborhood, on paved street, and priced reasonable. Now occupied by good tenants and will pay well as an investment. Will be sold together or separately. If you want a home or an investment it will pay you to investigate this. See me at the Nodaway Valley Bank.

Harry E. Hudson, Executor

INSECTS CARRY DISEASES

DISCOVERIES OF RECENT YEARS
VERY IMPORTANT.

Cleanliness Best Preventive of All
Danger From Various Summer
Illnesses.

It has been discovered within recent years that many diseases are borne by insects. According to Dr. M. P. Ravenel, professor of preventive medicine at the University of Missouri at Columbia, there are three types of insects which carry disease.

In some cases the insect acts only as a mechanical carrier, as is the case of the house fly which infects milk and other foods with the filth carried on its feet, mouth and other parts of the body. This type of insect spreads typhoid, diarrhoea, dysentery and many diseases of the digestive tract.

In other cases the insect acts mechanically as a syringe. There are blood sucking insects which take in infected blood from a sick person, and transfer it by their bites to a well person. A notable example of this type of carrier is the flea, which carries bubonic plague.

The third type is also a blood suck-

ing insect, and gains its infection by sucking the blood of a sick person. The germ then undergoes a cycle of development in the body of the insect, multiplying enormously. After this, a bite by the insect inoculates the germ into a well person. The most notable examples of disease carried by this type of insect are malarial fever and yellow fever. In this class each insect can carry but one disease. Thus only one mosquito, the Anopheles, can carry malarial fever; only one, the Stegomyia, can carry yellow fever.

To prevent the insect from carrying diseases, cleanliness must be the sanitation watch word; garbage must be disposed of and the yard kept clean during the summer months when the breeding activities of insects are at maximum; swampy places and pools of stagnant water must be done away with. The slogan should be: "Clean up, clean up, and keep clean."

Infant Child Dies Soon.

Georgia Clata, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Caster of Ravenwood, was born June 8 and died the same day. Burial was in the Oak Lawn cemetery Friday, June 9. Funeral services were held at the grave conducted by the Rev. B. H. Smallwood of the Methodist Episcopal church.

HERO, BUT SIMPLE

Togo, Japanese Admiral, Modest
In Tastes, Say Tradesmen.

PEOPLE REGARD HIM AS A GOD

Butcher, Baker and Barber Unite In Saying That the Japanese Nelson Is Firm Believer In Simplicity—Trims Own Beard and Pays 25 Cents For Hair Cut.

Tokyo.—Don't imagine that a Japanese newspaper man is a back number because he appears at ceremonial functions in an early Victorian Prince Albert and a derby hat or that he is unenterprising because at the same ceremonial functions he is chivvied about by the police like a naughty boy. Admiral Togo, the victor of Tsushima, is the most tactful man in Japan. He has never been interviewed. He never speaks about himself.

Except that they see him in a ricksha occasionally with his brass hat on when he is going to the palace, the public of Tokyo knows nothing of the Japanese Nelson.

So when the Katel Zasshi, a popular monthly magazine circulating among the middle classes, wished to get an article on the private life of Admiral Togo they sent a bright member of



Photo by American Press Association.
ADMIRAL TOGO.

the staff out to interview the count's butcher and baker and candlestick maker, his barber and fishmonger and the man at the corner, and by paying particular attention to the amount of his monthly housekeeping bills they were able to arrive at the conclusion that the hero is a man of Spartan simplicity.

First comes the man who keeps the sake (spirits) shop. "I hear," he says, "that the admiral never complains of the food that he finds on his table and that he eats the same food as his servants. I get no orders for sake nowadays and only send in some soy (sauce) and miso (a curd made from beans and eaten for breakfast) of the commonest quality, occasionally. My monthly bill is never more than 75 cents and sometimes under 50 cents. I am ashamed to ask for payment, the bill is so small."

The greengrocer, a "young student-like man," is afraid to divulge very much, but finally says:

"The things I sell to the Togo family are of the same quality as those I sell to my humblest customer. When the early fruits come in I always offer them, but they are seldom bought. The simplicity of the admiral's life is astonishing. It would be great rudeness for a man like me to comment on a god-like man like Togo. My monthly bill amounts to 75 cents or so."

The fishmonger: "I have been allowed to enjoy the custom of the Togo family for many years, and there has been no change in the orders I get. Most officers when they return home from sea will soon be known by the special orders they give to the tradesmen around them and the increased activity of their kitchen. There is no special dinner for Admiral Togo when he returns after an absence. The life he leads is absolutely below the standard for so great a man. No wonder that the people regard him as a god. My monthly bill is insignificantly small."

The butcher: "Admiral Togo's meat order is very small. When he entertains guests he orders from some restaurant. Occasionally I get an order for his excellency's table, and for the rest the meat he buys is generally for his favorite dog. I believe the dog gets more meat than the master."

The barber: "I am called to the admiral's house twice a month, except when he goes to the imperial palace. When that happens I am called in even if it is only a week after his last haircut. His hair is cropped short, less than an inch long, with scissors. He cuts his own beard in the shape of a heart, and sometimes it is done very clumsily, but he will not allow me to touch it. He speaks to me rather kindly, but on the whole he is taciturn. In his parlor there is not a thing which can be called an article of luxury. He gives me 25 cents for each hair cut."

All the tradespeople expressed sincere admiration of the admiral's frugality.

PUT PRISONERS TO WORK

English Following German Example and Are Constructing Dams and Other Big Jobs.

London, June 20.—Following the German example Great Britain is putting war prisoners to work. There are now about 15,000 German combatant prisoners in the islands.

About a thousand of these will assist in building a great dam in the valley of the conway, North Wales. Other detachments will be sent to do iron mining on the island of Rathsay, off Skye, and timber cutting in Inverness, Yorkshire and other places. Civilian prisoners are already at work on the roads and in the quarries of the Isle of Man, and on the farms in Cheshire.

The military and naval prisoners are paid the wages prescribed by The Hague convention, the same rates as those paid to British soldiers for extra duties.

Few prisoners will be employed on farms because they cannot be used in large enough gangs to warrant the necessary military guard.

WILL HOLD PLACES OPEN

National Guardsmen Will Not Lose Work by Going to Encampment or War.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, June 20.—Members of the state militia and naval reserve in this city have been assured by their employers that their positions will be held open for them indefinitely in case they are called into service, and in many instances officials have declared that the guardsmen in their employ will receive full pay and that their families would be cared for in their absence.

Among the concerns giving such assurance are the following:

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, Chicago surface lines, Parmalee Transfer company, Thompson restaurants, Chicago Telephone company, Chicago Elevated lines, Marshall Field & Co., Consumers company, Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Bowman Dairy company, Borden's Condensed Milk company, the Fair department store, Rothschild & Co., Siegel, Cooper & Co., and Mandel Bros.

CLEARMONT CHILDREN'S DAY

Basket Dinner and Program With Sermon by Superintendent W. F. Burris.

The Children's Day program was given Sunday night at the Methodist church in Clearmont. In the morning Rev. Mr. Sample of the First Methodist church of Burlington Junction spoke, after which a basket dinner was held. In the afternoon the Rev. W. F. Burris preached the sermon. The Clearmont orchestra furnished the music, Mrs. Byron Sowers being at the piano, Dr. Wiley and Mrs. Holland playing the violins and Ben Ringold and Harvey Bohn playing the horns.

NO BOOZE; NO CONVICTS.

Georgia May Repeal Prohibition to Fill Prisons.

Atlanta, Ga., June 20.—Georgia convict camps are being consolidated because of a shortage of convicts. Sixty deputy wardens have already been cut off and further reductions are promised. Prohibition is given credit for diminution in crime and the consequent decrease in the number of convicts.

Hopkins School Bonds Sold.

The \$12,000 bond issue of the Hopkins school district was sold recently to W. R. Compton company of St. Louis at a premium of \$535. These bonds bear 5 per cent. The money is to be used for an addition to the school building at that place.

Dr. Turner, New Osteopath, Here.

Dr. W. W. Turner, an osteopath, has settled in Maryville and will follow his profession here. He has taken the rooms over the Fern Theatre for his office. Dr. Turner has had several years' experience.

Negress to Be Buried Here.

Minnie Gunn, a negress who was shot and killed in Omaha, Neb., Sunday, will be brought here for burial tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yeomans and two children visited in Hopkins Sunday afternoon with Mr. Yeomans' mother, Mrs. S. J. Yeomans.

Mrs. Joseph Brown and children, Freda Josephine and Joe came from Kansas City yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hastings.

Horace Richmond returned Monday noon from a three weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Fink at Wellington, Kan.

BEES BREAK UP SCHOOL.

Imprison Teacher and Pupils Until Rescue Party Comes.

Oakdale, Cal.—Forty school children were held prisoners for half a day at Langworth school by a buzzing swarm of bees, which finally broke up school for the day.

The bees had hives in one corner of the roof for weeks and had been undisturbed until some of the youngsters threw clods and dislodged the hive. The bees attacked their tormentors, who took refuge in the schoolhouse.

Miss Ida Warford, the teacher, put her head out of the door to see the cause of the commotion and was stung on the nose. Hundreds of bees swarmed into the half opened door, and the children sought refuge in the next room, while the teacher and the older boys battled with wet cloths and whatever weapons they had handy.

They, too, were finally forced into the other room, and the entire school was made prisoner until some of the parents, alarmed at the absence of their children, came to the rescue.

They were forced to flee, too, but finally came back armed with sulphur, with which they routed the bees. A number of the children and the animals in near by fields were severely stung.

FORBADE HIS BURIAL.

New Yorker, by Will, Provided For Death Tests and Sarcophagus.

New York.—In the will of Robert P. Lyon, who died on May 28, filed for probate recently in the surrogates' court, an estate valued at \$75,000 was bequeathed in equal shares to the testator's wife, Mrs. Grace I. Lyon, and his two sons, Robert D. Lyon and Arthur S. Lyon. The will continued:

"I desire to impress upon my wife and my executors that I have an intense dread of being buried alive. I therefore charge them and also such physicians as they may select after my apparent death to have my body subjected to thorough tests of death and to cause the radial artery at either wrist to be cut across by a competent surgeon. I understand that if the vessel is bloodless life has ceased."

The decedent also stated that he had "an intense aversion and dread" of being buried in the earth and requested that his body be placed in a receiving vault until a sarcophagus could be erected for it. Mr. Lyon left funds to pay for this vault.

JOHN D. BUYS A KISS.

Grandson Negotiates the Sale of a Smack For a Nickel.

Tarrytown, N. Y.—John D. Rockefeller was attending services recently at the Lyceum, Pocantico Hills, with his son, John D. Jr., and grandchildren. After the services Winthrop, the second grandson, beckoned to his grandfather and said he had a little matter to adjust with him. When his grandfather bent over to get the message the boy said:

"Grandpop, I've got a big kiss for you."

Mr. Rockefeller smiled, put his hand in his vest pocket, where he keeps his loose change, and digging out a new nickel, gave it to his grandson, who already had his hand out. When the little fellow's fingers clasped the coin he put his arms around his grandfather's neck and gave him a smack, with many of the congregation looking on.

"He'll take care of himself in this world," said Mr. Rockefeller, patting the boy's head approvingly.

ALIVE IN ROCK'S CENTER.

Frog May Have Lived There For Centuries—Swelled Up When Freed.

Riverside, Cal.—A live frog, possibly centuries old, was found in the center of a solid granite boulder which was blasted open at the Bly quarries, five miles west of Riverside.

The frog, still alive, was brought to the chamber of commerce and has been offered to Professor Daggett of the Los Angeles museum. When first exposed to the air and light it was shriveled to about one-third its normal size. Within a few minutes it had swollen until its skin was puffed almost to bursting.

It blinks with perfect froglike intelligence and devoured a couple of flies that were offered as though they were familiar food.

The frog closely resembles the present generation of frogs, differing only in the shape of its head and in its hind quarters. It is lighter in shade than the ordinary frog and is about two and one-half inches long and two inches across the back.

LOSES WOODEN LEG.

Commission Refuses to Give Olympia (N. Y.) Man Compensation For It.

Olympia, N. Y.—While the breaking of a leg ordinarily would be classed as a permanent partial disability under the workmen's compensation act, this is not true with a wooden leg, the industrial insurance commission recently decided.

George R. Stark, employed by a lumber company of Barnston, presented a claim for a fracture of the ankle of his wooden leg, stating it was caught in the conveyor of the mill on Aug. 9. In the blank marked "Nature of injury," Stark's claim says, "Busted wooden leg; never will get well."

Courts For Forty Years.

Rutherford, Tenn.—After a courtship of about forty years Mr. La Fayette Yates and Miss Bette Reagor, people who have lived all their lives in a neighborhood about six miles east of this place, were united in marriage and are receiving congratulations.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, June 20.—WHEAT—June, 96½c; Sept., 98½c.
CORN—June, 71½c; Sept., 70c.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, June 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000; market higher; steers, \$9@11; cows, \$4@10.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; market 15c higher; top, \$9.80; bulk, \$9.60@9.80.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market 5c to 10c lower.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, June 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; market weak; estimate tomorrow, 17.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; market 5c higher; top, \$9.85; estimate tomorrow, 27.00.
SHEEP—Receipts, 14,000; market 5c to 10c lower.

St. Joseph Live Stock.
St. Joseph, June 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,200; market 5c to 10c lower.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; market steady; top, \$9.65.
SHEEP—Receipts, 3,500; market 5c to 10c lower.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs.
Eggs, doz.15c
Butter fat, per lb.26c
Hens, per lb.14c
Roosters and stags, per lb.6c
Hides, per lb.11c
Ducks, per lb.9c
Geese, per lb.7c

Four Men Go Fishing.

A party composed of Gus Romasser, R. P. Hosmer, J. S. Shinabargar and E. H. Bainum enjoyed the afternoon yesterday fishing at the Platte river. Reports are to the effect that Mr. Shinabargar caught the largest fish, it weighed two and a half pounds.

Watts Conducts Boone Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Boone, who died at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning in Elmo, was held at 10 o'clock this morning from her home in Elmo. The Rev. Mr. Watts of Clearmont conducted the services. Burial was in the cemetery west of Elmo.

Howerys Beat Egleys 10-0.

In spite of the fact that he has been called home to join his company of the Fourth regiment, James E. Howery of Bethany led his team in the Normal tournament to a 10-0 victory over Egley's baseballers yesterday.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our many friends and acquaintances for their kindness during the sickness and death of our dear daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Carden and Family.

Griffey Partition Suit Filed.

A partition suit was filed today by Martha J. Griffey, Edward Griffey, et al., vs. Myrtle Griffey, Gool Griffey, et al., Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison are representing the plaintiffs.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth John of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville yesterday and will make this their new home. Mr. John has a position as operator for the Fern Theatre.

NEW USE FOR OLD GLORY.

In a Brooklyn Court It "Protects the Bench."

New York.—After an adjournment of the Brooklyn court of special sessions recently the bench and clerk's desk were bedecked with an American flag. "What's the idea?" Chief Probation Officer John J. Rooney was asked. "That's the duster," Rooney explained. "When the janitor sweeps he covers the bench and clerk's desk with the old flag."

Indignant, the questioner sought out Chief Clerk Joseph L. Kerrigan and demanded an explanation of the apparent desecration of Old Glory.

"Well, isn't the flag protecting the bench?" was Kerrigan's ready response.

YOUNG WIDOWS, HERE IS A CHANCE FOR YOU

Cleveland Man Would Wed One and Will Provide Change For Ice Cream Sodas and the Movies.

Paterson, N. J.—"Young widows only need apply; old maids can save their postage stamps," wrote Gustave Jannell of 1427 East Thirty-second street, Cleveland, O., in a letter which John C. Bush, acting mayor of this city, recently received.

"Any young widow who wants a good home, a lively companion and a gay time, with lots of change for ice cream sodas and the movies, will find me the right husband," the letter stated. "Young widows are sweet and jolly, and I understand there are a lot of them in Paterson. Old maids give me a pain. There are too many of them in Cleveland now."

"You will do any pretty young widow a big favor by handing to her my name and address and telling her to write and send photo. I own a good home and want a wife right away."

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days. Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion. Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN—Jitney and delivery work of all kinds at the Fordyce & Branigan Jitney station. Night and day calls. Hanamo 207. Farmers 61. 19-24

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., South Side Square. Hanamo 279.

NOTICE—Don't throw away your old carpet. Have new rugs made. Call J. W. Cornell, Hanamo 5264. 20-22. Undoubtedly you have a want that could easily be supplied with very little expense by using that want classification.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Large storage tank, in good condition, suitable for grain. Cheap if taken at once. Standard Oil Co. 10tf

FOR SALE—Sanitary couch, mattress and cover; Junior Tourist baby carriage. Call 40ZW. 20-22*

FOR SALE OR RENT—House, 6 large rooms, now empty; fruit, pasture; also driving team, one or both. J. T. Hays, Hanamo phone 575.

FOR SALE—10x12 tent, in good condition. Call Will Edwards at Tilson Bros. garage. 17-20

FOR SALE—Great Western Cream Separators and Vacuum Cleaners at Halls, first door north of postoffice. 20-5

USED PIANOS—We have three used pianos, in good condition for sale. Vose, Hallett & Davis, and Kimball. Call at store or address Landon Music Co. 14-20

YOU also have something which could easily and economically be sold through this classification. Why not try it? Call on either phone.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—A suite of modern rooms, furnished for light housekeeping, or room and board. Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, Hanamo 3625. 404 E. 1st. 6tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room two blocks north of square. 322 North Market. Call 3344. 20-22.

FOR RENT—7-room house, modern except heat; good barn. 521 S. Main street. Hanamo 3344. 20-22.

Wanted.

WANTED—Jewelry repairing of all kinds. Holmes Jewelry Co. 20tf.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm till first of year. Must give reference. Call, write or phone M. A. Gray, Route 2, Barnard, Mo. 20-22.*

WANTED TO RENT—9x12 water-proof tent for ten days about July 1. Write or call Earl Vickery, Arkoe. 17-20

Lost.

LOST—Child's coat, between public square and Burlington tracks. Return to this office. 19-21*

LOST—In front of Alderman-Yehle store Wednesday afternoon, an ear-ring set with brilliants. Return to this office. 17-20

LOST—Monday, between Clyde, Guilford, Barnard and Maryville, gray vest with Greek fraternity pin and campaign card of B. R. Martin. Return to Dr. Martin's office or call by phone. Reward. 20-22

Methodist Meeting at Arkoe. The Methodist quarterly meeting at Arkoe will begin with a service on Saturday evening. At 11 o'clock on Sunday morning a program consisting of special music will be given, after which a basket dinner will be held. Services will be held again at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock in the evening.

CALL IN TIME

If you wish to have your painting and paper hanging done by M. L. GRABLE 520 N. Buchanan, Hanamo 8188.

Neighborizing The Farmer

Farm life has been completely transformed through the advent of the newspaper and the telephone.

Now the farmer and his family are placed in almost direct contact with his neighbors and the country in general. Now the telephone places him into immediate communication with all of his neighbors. The newspaper gives him the news of the country, of everything important that has happened only a few hours before.

These two great methods of communication have neighborized the farmers, have placed the smaller communities in contact with the larger communities.

The telephone places the farmer in touch with his neighbors and incidents of personal importance. The newspaper gives the farmer the events of his community and the world.

The telephone is used at his convenience. And the newspaper is eagerly looked for by him as it comes to him through the regular mail transportation. It contains the news gathered for him by great news associations from all parts of the world, and placed at his very door.

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